



WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF
Natural Resources
Peter Goldmark - Commissioner of Public Lands

Application for Use of State-owned Aquatic Lands

Applicant Name: DNR Creosote Removal Program
County: Snohomish
Water Body: Possession Sound
Type of Authorization: Restoration Project
Authorization Number:
Term: N/A

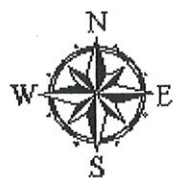
Description: DNR plans to remove 30-50 tons of creosote-treated driftwood debris from the beaches and backshore areas on Hat Island in Spring/Summer 2009. The extensive forage fish spawning grounds on the island make this location a priority for removal. Removal of creosote prevents harmful toxins from leaching into the waters and sediments of Puget Sound. Completion of the project is pending landowner permissions and continued funding. Work will be completed with a helicopter, barge, work crew, and volunteers.



Hat (Gedney) Island Creosote Cleanup

There were an estimated 480 pieces of creosote-treated debris totaling 2575 ft³ and an estimated 50 tons.

Hat Island is approximately 4.2 miles in circumference.



0.5 0.25 0 0.5 Miles

A scale bar with markings for 0.5, 0.25, 0, and 0.5 miles.



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